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8 September 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: New Senate Select Staffer -- Dr. Herrington

1. On Monday, 8 September, Dr. Arthur Herrington called to discuss his participation in the Senate Select Committee (SSC) investigation and to request an appointment with Mr. Carver -- per the suggestion of Lynn Davis. Subsequently, a letter from Mr. William Miller was received outlining Dr. Herrington's ambitious projected course of action in support of the SSC. Dr. Herrington noted that, when first approached by the SSC, he had declined to become involved but after repeated requests he had agreed. This agreement was contingent on the SSC's acceptance of a number of ground rules required by Dr. Herrington, i.e., before initiating any work, he would clear his project with the Secretary of Defense, the JCS, the NSC Staff and the DCI. Once drafted, his study would be reviewed by the above, their comments solicited, and points incorporated.

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2. Dr. Herrington stated that he had done considerable work for Secretary Schlesinger, was currently involved with ORD on a research project, and had had frequent contact with OSR [redacted] over time. In a conversation with [redacted] today, he noted that Dr. Herrington is an independent contractor who does considerable work for the US Government. He further reported that Dr. Herrington is an intelligent individual who is a competent researcher with some innovative approaches to a number of intelligence problems. He appears to be pro-CIA and the Intelligence Community but does feel that there are areas which need and require improvement both from a substantive and collection aspect.

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3. An appointment has been scheduled for Dr. Herrington to meet with Mr. Carver in the latter's office on Wednesday, 10 September. Major Miles of the IC Staff has been notified of this request and the proposed meeting. He mentioned that the Department of State had received a similar memo and was quite concerned about the scope of the project as outlined in the "Statement of Work" and the large volume of detailed data which would have to be provided in its support.



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Dr. Arthur Herrington

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Mr. George Carver

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RESPECT TO INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES

(PURSUANT TO S. RES. 21, 94TH CONGRESS)

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

September 4, 1975

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Special Counsel to the Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rogovin:

As a follow-up to my letters of 27 May and 14 July describing the Senate Select Committee's studies in the field of foreign intelligence, the Committee would like to sponsor a special study on the relation between the production of national intelligence estimates and the allocation of total U.S. collection resources. This study will be under the direction of Dr. Arthur Herrington.

Attached to this letter is a memorandum briefly describing the subjects which this study will address.

I would appreciate your providing Dr. Herrington with access to the people within your agency who would be most knowledgeable about these issues and to the relevant documents.

Sincerely,

*Bill*William G. Miller  
Staff Director

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